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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

SASAKI, et al.

Serial No.: 09/938,583

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For: PUSH TYPE SCANNER APPARATUS AND IMAGE

DATA TRANSMITTING AND RECEIVING SYSTEM

Art Unit: 2155

Examiner: Bruckart, Benjamin R.

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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is in reply to the Office action mailed April 21, 2006, to which the time for response expires July 21, 2006. The pending claims, claims 1 and 6-9, were rejected. Reconsideration in view of the following amendments and remarks is respectfully requested.

The Claims as amended and pending begins on page 2 of this paper. Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.